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In re Application of:)
Gerald W. FISCHER et al.) Group Art Unit: 1645
Application No.: 09/893,615) Examiner: V. Portner
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Applicants hereby petition for a three month extension of time to reply to the Office Action of January 15, 2003. A fee of \$930.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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